IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS LUFKIN DIVISION

JASON J. HERNANDEZ	§	§ CIVIL ACTION NO. 9:17-CV-23
VS.	§	
GREGG ABBOTT, et al.,	§	

MEMORANDUM ORDER OVERRULING OBJECTIONS AND ADOPTING THE MAGISTRATE JUDGE'S REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION

Plaintiff, Jason J. Hernandez, an inmate confined at the Polunsky Unit of the Texas Department of Criminal Justice, Correctional Institutions Division, proceeding *prose*, filed this civil rights action pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 1983.

The Court referred this matter to the Honorable Keith Giblin, United States Magistrate Judge, at Beaumont, Texas, for consideration pursuant to applicable laws and orders of this Court. The Magistrate Judge recommends plaintiff's motion for class certification be denied.

The Court has received and considered the Report and Recommendation of United States Magistrate Judge filed pursuant to such order, along with the record, and pleadings. Defendants filed objections to the Report and Recommendation of United States Magistrate Judge. This requires a *de novo* review of the objections in relation to the pleadings and applicable law. *See* FED. R. CIV. P. 72(b).

After careful consideration of the objections and responses thereto, the court finds defendants' objections lacking in merit. Plaintiff does not meet <u>each</u> of the requirements necessary for class certification set forth in Rule 23(a).

<u>ORDER</u>

Accordingly, petitioner's objections are **OVERRULED**. The findings of fact and conclusions of law of the Magistrate Judge are correct, and the report of the Magistrate Judge is **ADOPTED**.

So ORDERED and SIGNED this 17 day of May, 2017.

Ron Clark, United States District Judge

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